GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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SANSKRIT COLLEGE AND VIDYAPEETH
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have withdrawn the recognition given to many of the Sanskrit Colleges and Vidyapeeths in the country recently; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) & (b) Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, setup by the Government of India as an autonomous organization for the development and promotion of Sanskrit, was declared a Deemed to be University with effect from 7th May 2002. Consequently, as per the rules that govern deemed universities, its right to affiliate to itself other institutions for the purpose of examinations and degrees stands cancelled.